Attachment 5

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TENNESSEE HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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October 29, 2001

Mr. J. Bennett Graham Tennessee Valley Authority Cultural Resources Post Office Box 1589 Norris, Tennessee 37828-1589

RE: COE-N, ARCHAEOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT, PN# 01-62/INTAKE/CLINCH RM 46.3L, UNINCORPORATED, ANDERSON COUNTY, TN

Dear Mr. Graham:

At your request, our office has reviewed the above-referenced archaeological survey report in accordance with regulations codified at 36 CFR 800 (Federal Register, December 12, 2000, 77698-77739). Based on the information provided, we find that the project area contains no archaeological resources eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

Therefore, this office has no objection to the implementation of this project. If project plans are changed or archaeological remains are discovered during construction, please contact this office to determine what further action, if any, will be necessary to comply with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

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Sincerely,

Herbert L. Harper Executive Director and Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer

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cc: Marty Tyree, COE-N